

The Daily Courant.

Wednesday, March 9. 1720.

Paris, March 13.

TH E King has sent a Letter to the Elector Palatine to recommend to him the preserving the Tranquillity in the Empire, and forbearing Innovations which may prove prejudicial to it. Provisions and all sort of Goods still continue to bear a very high Price. Deputies are arrived here from Guienne to represent to the Court, that the Prohibition of planting Tobacco will reduce to utter Ruin abundance of Families, who are brought up to it, and have no other Way left of getting a Livelihood. Other Provinces have caused the like Representations to be made. The Currency of Bank Bills, and the general Prohibition of keeping above 300 Livres in Cash, occasion the utmost Conternation all over the Kingdom. Stocks are very low for that Reason, and it must be expected what Means the Government will find for keeping up the publick Credit.

Heidelberg, March 6. On the 29th past, the Reformed Inhabitants delivered a Memorial to the Electoral Regency, relating to the Threatnings which the Magistrates made to them on the 23d, that if they would not yield up the Church of the Holy Ghost to the Elector, he would remove with his Court and the College to Manheim, and thereby ruin the Trade of the Town. The said Memorial is as follows :

IT is notorious to all the World, that upon the Peace which ensued after the War with France, during which this Town was burnt, so that we were obliged to live here in a miserable Condition for many Years, that the late Elector, his Electoral Highness's Brother, of glorious Memory, graciously granted us Privileges and issued Orders, promising us all manner of Assistance for rebuilding our Houses, and to protect and maintain us in the free Exercise of our Religion, and in the Possession of our Churches and Schools, and what belonged to them; which encouraged us, though many of us were already established in other Countries, to return to this Town, and to rebuild it with great Charge, whereby we were plunged into vast Debts. We conceived great Joy at the Resolution his Electoral Highness had taken, to fix his Residence in this Town, being perfectly confident, that under the happy Protection of our most gracious Sovereign and Lord, we were to live in Peace and Security, and enjoy a full Liberty of Conscience. But it is with extream Grief we have been informed, that his Electoral Highness, out of Displeasure against us, has resolved to repair to Manheim, to remove all his Colleges thither, to cause the Bridge over the Neckar to be broke off, and to reduce this Place to such a Condition, that it should rather be like a Village than a Town, and that the Grass should grow before our Houses. Yet as we do not see by what we have deserved that Disgrace, nor that the Affairs of the Church of the Holy Ghost can be the Cause of it; his Electoral Highness be pleased to remember, that when the said Church was taken from the Reformed, 40 or 50 Burghers did no more than to throw themselves at his Electoral Highness's Feet, most humbly to beg of him to cause it to be restored to them, after which we did not make any further Step. But since foreign Powers have interposed in this Affair, his Electoral Highness be pleased to consider, that it does no longer depend on us, and that we can in no manner dispose of it. Therefore we are in Hopes his Electoral Highness will not put in Execution the Threatnings of his Disgrace that have been inti-

mated to us; but that on the contrary he will take us under his powerful Protection, and look upon us with his Sovereign and Paternal Favour. We will always behave in a due manner, so as to shew our profound Submission, and will remain with all possible Respect, &c.

They continue to disown at Court that they are any ways concerned in what the Magistrates of the Town have done. However, the Town of Manheim have sent Deputies hither, who are every one of them Roman Catholicks, to supplicate the Elector to reside with them. Baron Hillesheim was sent for to Court Yesterday, and received Orders from the Elector to see the Separation Wall in the Church of the Holy Ghost to be set up again, and all the Romish Ornaments to be removed from thence. That Minister who is known to have been the most active in turning the Reformed out of the Possession of their Church, is in some Measure removed from the Conference with the Ministers of the Protestant Powers, and Baron Hundheim is employed in his Room. The Regency have not yet concerted Measures with the Reformed Confidory, for putting them into the Possession of the Nave of the said Church, pursuant to the Orders issued by the Elector. A Jesuit who preached in it last Sunday was Seven Night, inveighed with great Bitterness against the Protestants, very much blaming at the same time his Brethren, for having by their Rashness discovered to soon their Designs, which are now crossed by the Interposition of so many powerful Princes.

Brussels, March 11. The Prince de Ligne is returned hither from Flanders, whither he was sent to receive Homage in the Emperour's Name, in that Part of Flanders which was conquer'd from France in the late War, and has since been delivered up by the States General to the Emperour; Yesterday he made Report to the Marquels de Prié, of the Execution of his Commission at Tournay, Ipres, and Menin, where he was received with great Magnificence. The same Day his Excellency received the Compliments of Condoleance from the Magistrates of this Place, and other Persons of Distinction, on Account of the Death of the Count de Reckhem his Son in Law, who died lately at Paris.

London, March 9.

Yesterday South-Sea Stock was 184 1 half, 183 1 half, 183, 184, to 183. Bank Book shut. India 211 1 half, to 210 1 half. Lottery Annuity 101 3 8ths. to 101. African 48, 33, to 50.

By Order of the Honourable Commissioners of His Majesty's Customs, on Tuesday the 15th Instant, at Two of the Clock in the Afternoon, will be exposed to Sale by Inch of Candle, in the Long-Room in the Custom-House, London; A Parcel of Snuff, a Parcel of Sword-Blades, and a Parcel of Tea, clear of all Duties, being condemn'd in His Majesty's Court of Exchequer, and will be shown at the King's Warehouse on Monday the 14th Instant, from 8 to 12, and from 2 till 5, and on Tuesday from 8 to 12 in the Forenoon. The Buyers to pay down 2 Guineas each Lot, and the Goods to be taken away with all Faults on or before the 21st Instant.

The Governor and Company of Undertakers for raising the Thames Water in York Buildings, give Notice, That they are remov'd from Mercer's-Hall to their Office in Throgmorton-Street, near the Royal Exchange.

A General Meeting of the Subscribers to the Fund of Two Millions Pounds Sterling, for insuring Houses and Goods from Loss and Damage by Fire throughout England, lately taken at Sadlers-Hall Cheapside, (whereon 5¹/₂ per Cent. is paid into the Hands of Mr. Stephen Ram) is appointed to be holden at Sadlers-Hall aforesaid, on Friday next, the 11th Instant, at three in the Afternoon, on special Affairs, where all the Proprietors are desired to be present, and bring their Receipts with them for their Admittance.

A General Meeting of all the Proprietors of the Botomy Stocks is appointed to be held at Merchant-Taylor's Hall on Friday the 11th Instant, at Ten in the Forenoon, precisely, when some Matters of great Moment will be laid before them, which makes their Appearance very necessary.

Whereas one Daniel Smith died in the Prison of the Fleet sometime since, and left behind him a considerable Estate, a great Part of which has been concealed from the Persons entitled to the same. This is to give Notice, that if any Persons can make a Discovery of any Sum of Money, or other things belonging to the Estate of the said deceased, which have been received by the Administrator of the said Daniel Smith, or by any Persons by his Authority, more than what is already known to the Parties concerned, they shall have 5*l.* per Cent. for what they shall so discover; and if any Persons can discover any Sums of Money, or other things, belonging to the Estate of the said deceased, which are now standing out and unrecov'd, other than what is already come to the Knowledge of the said Parties, they shall have 2*5* l. per Cent. for what they shall make such Discovery of; which Sums shall be paid immediately after the Recovery and Receipt of the said Sums of Money, or other things. And all Persons that can give any Information of the Matters aforesaid, are desired to enquire for the Parties concerned at Sam's Coffee-house behind the Royal Exchange, London.

For the Benefit of Mrs. Porter,
By His Majesty's Company of Comedians.

AT the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, To-Morrow, being Thursday, the 10th of March, will be presented A Comedy call'd, The Lady's last Stake: Or, The Wife's Refinement. The Front Boxes and Pit to be laid together, at 3*s.* each. Tickets to be had at the Theatre. NB. To prevent the Ladies Waiting, none but the Gallery Doors will be opened till 5 o'Clock. First Gallery 2*s.* Upper Gallery 1*s.*

To all Gentlemen, Ladies, and others. At the Globe and Duke of Marlborough's Head in Fleetstreet.

THERE is lately arrived in this City, Mr. de Lepine, Engineer and Machinist of the late King of France, who has brought over with him a Piece of Ingenuity, which is an Opera by Machines, that has been seen by his Majesty, their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales, their Royal Highnesses the young Princes, and likewise by a great Number of Persons of Quality of this Kingdom, with their general Applause and Satisfaction. And being to make but a short Stay here, he invites the Curious to come and see the said Machine, giving no other Explanation, the Thing speaking for it self; Where there are Symphonies, Music-Master, Whistler, Drawings of the Curtain, Changes of Scenes, Thunder and Lightning, &c. And what surprises the more, is, That all is perform'd without any Body's touching it. To be seen from 10 in the Morning to 10 at Night, two Hours Distance between every Performance. Price 2*s.* 1*s.* 6*d.*

Supposed to be drop'd on Saturday the 27th of February last, between the Royal Exchange and Bishopsgate-street, or Lime-street, a black Letter Case, wherein was a Bill drawn by John Frampton on John Blandford, at 6 Days Sight, dated the 13th of February last, for 6*l.* Whoever has found it, and will bring it to Mr. Richard Gines, Goldsmith, at the Rose and Crown in Lombard-street, or before the 1st Instant, shall receive 5*v.* Reward, and no Questions ask'd. Or if any Person will give Information thereof so as it may be had again, shall be gratefully paid for his Trouble. NB. It is of no use but to the Owner, Payment being stopp'd.

On Friday last the 4th Instant, a Gentleman and his Lady were rob'd in a Coach between London and Dartford in Kent, by two Highwaymen in Masks, who took from them, a very large Silver Watch made in France, a Silver hilted Sword, a Tablet garnish'd with Silver, a Gold Souff-box engrav'd both Top and Bottom, a pair of French Pistols, a pair of Silver Buckles, with some French Money, and other Things. If any of the said Things are offered to be sold or pawn'd, you are desired to stop them, and give Notice to Mr. Antram, his Majesty's Watchmaker in Fleet-street, who will give 5 Guineas Reward for the whole, or proportionable for any Part.

Lost or mislaid the 7th Instant at Night, a Note of Messrs. Turner, Cavall, and Comp. either No^o 344. or 345. for 2*5* l. lost the 7th Instant, payable to Henry Gambier or Beare. Whoever has found the same, is desired to bring it to Mr. John Maddy at the Sword-blade Office, and he shall receive as a Reward Two Guineas, and no Questions asked, it being of no Use but to the Owner, Payment being stopp'd; and if offered in Payment, you are desired to stop it, and give Notice to the said Mr. John Maddy at the Office aforesaid.

Lost between the Change and St. James's, on Monday Night last, a double Snuff-box, opening in the middle, and gilded within, a Cypher on the Bottom A.M. Whoever brings it to Mr. Walfree, Ironmonger, at the Cross-Keys without Newgate, shall have half a Guinea Reward, and no Questions ask'd.

Stole from Mr. John Lilley of Ramley in the County of Essex, on the 17th of February last, between 6 and 7 o'clock in the Evening, a dark bay Mare, her near Eye has a little Speck, also 3 or 4 white Spots under her Flanks on the near Side, a long Mane and Tail (being no way's cut only where the Bridle goes) she has a lofty Carriage, about 8 or 9 Years old, with Leather under her Shoes, being between 14 and 15 Hands high. Whoever brings her to Mr. George Rolfe, Brewer, in Hoxton, or Mr. Thos. Spens, Corn-Factor, in St. Katharine's by the Tower, shall have 10*s.* Reward, and Reasonable Charges.

To be Sold a Pehnworth,
A handsome Crane-neck'd Chariot, with Springs. To be seen at the King's Head Inn in Holborn, over-against Red-lion-square.

To be Sold by AUCTION.

At the Marlborough Coffee house the Corner of Great Marlborough-street, near Poland-street, a Curious Collection of Original Pictures by some of the most famous Masters, being the Collection of Stephen Sains Loo, Esq; lately deceased, To-morrow and Friday the 11th and 12th Instant. The Pictures are now ready for View, and will continue so 'till the Time of Sale, which will begin each Day at 11 o'clock precisely; where Catalogues may be had.

Newly Published,

A Memorial presented to the King of Great Britain, by M. Wesselski the Czar's Resident at London, on the 14th of December 1719. His Majesty's Answer to that Memorial as King of Great Britain. His Majesty's Answer to it as Elector. A Letter from a Gentleman at London to a Friend in Holland, upon that Memorial. London Printed by Sam. Buckley in Amen-Corner, and Sold by J. Roberts in Warwick-lane. Price 6*d.*

To be Lett ready Furnished.

A House call'd Randall's, 5 Rooms on a Floor, with large Gardens walk'd in and well planned, with a Dove House, Coach-house for a Coaches and Stabling for 8 Horses, and other Offices w/out Doors: Also with 1*s.* Acres of Meadow adjoining to the House, which is pleasantly situated on the River, about a Mile from Leatherhead, and 3 Miles from Epsom in Surrey. Inquire of Mr. Findlater, Apothecary at Epsom, or of Mr. Meure, at his House in Frith-street, near Soho-square, London.

This Day will continue to be sold at the Golden Key in St. Paul's Church-yard, near the King's Arms Tavern, a Parcel of rich Furniture, consisting of fine Beds and Bedding, Pier and Chimney Glasses, Desks and Book-cases, fine Tapestry, India Cabinets, a large Quantity of fine India Tea-tables, Handboards, and like China. The lowest Price will be set upon each Lot.

To be Sold,

This Day the 9th and To-morrow the 10th Instant, at the Great House the Corner of Paradise-Row next the College at Chelsea, All sorts of Household-Goods, and a fine Collection of Pictures and Prints, fit for Halls, Stair-Cases, and Closets. The lowest Price being affixed on each Parcel. The Sale to continue until all are sold.

The celebrated Collection of Wm. Tallman, Esq; deceased, (Comptroller of the Works to his late Majesty K. William) consisting of several excellent Statues, Busts, and small Figures in Ancient Brass and Marble, and Models by the most eminent Sculptors, as Michael Angelo, John de Hollone, Flemingo, Quenell, and others; with Pillars, Capitals, Chimney-Pieces, and Fragments of Ancient Greek Marble and Porphyry Tables, the whole being curious and well chosen, either for adorning Gardens or Galleries, will be sold by Auction for the Benefit of his Widow. To-morrow the 10th Instant, at the Reverend Dr. Desagulier's in Chancery-row, Westminster. The Statues, &c. to be seen till the Time of Sale, which will begin exactly at 11 in the Forenoon. NB. There are 3 very capital, large, and historical Pictures, will be sold at the same time. Catalogues to be deliver'd gratis at Mr. Cooper's in Half-Moon-street, Covent-Garden, and at the Place of Sale.

For SALE by the CANDLE.

On Friday the 11th Instant, at Lloyd's Coffee-house in Lombard-street, at Three o'clock in the Afternoon, The Experiment Galley, River-built 233 Tons by Measure, more or less, now lying in Mr. Buxton's dry Dock by the great wet Dock, Rotherhithe, Capt. Edward Coward Commander. Also the good Ship Ann, English built, about 2 Year old, 125 Tons by Measure, more or less, now lying in Limehouse-Hole, Capt. Edw. Keele late Commander. Also the George Pink, a new Ship, New-England built, 140 Tons by Measure, more or less, now lying in Major Lethmire's wet Dock, Capt. George Fendell Commander. Also the Willford Snow, English built, 60 Tons by Measure, more or less, now lying at Union Stairs, Capt. Alexander Mills Commander. Inventories to be seen on Board the said Ships, and at the Place of Sale. To be sold by Samuel Eyre, Broker, to be spoke with at the Place of Sale.

This Day is Publish'd the ad Edition of, A Bold Challenge to the whole College of Physicians: or, A Defence of those Practitioners in Physick, commonly call'd Quacks, namely, Dr. M^r. Cr., Dr. M^r. re, Dr. V^r. k^r, Dr. W^r. g^r, Dr. W^r. s^r, Dr. T^r. l^r, Dr. Th^r. ll, Dr. Aneidne Necklace. Cumulus alias, both Doctors and Doctresses. Likewise a Vindication of many eminent Piss-Prophets, Astrologers, Conjurers, both Male and Female, from the Aspersions cast upon them by a late Author. Printed for J. Roberts in Warwick-lane. Price 6*d.*

Just Publish'd, the ad Edition of, An Argument to shew the Disadvantage that would accrue to the Publick from obliging the South Sea Company to fix their capital Stock they will give for the Annuities. Printed for J. Roberts in Warwick-lane. Price 4*d.*

Lately Published,

The Authority of the Clergy, and the Liberties of the Laity stated and vindicated. In Answer to Mr. Rogers's Discourse of the Visible and Invisible Church of Christ. By Arthur Ashe Sykes, M.A. Rector of Rayleigh in Essex. Printed for J. Kniphon, at the Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard. Where may be had, Dr. Whitby's Sermons on several Occasions, in 8vo.

A certain Cure for Founder'd Horses, by an excellent Chymical Secret, which immediately takes away all Pains and Anguish in their Feet, and all burning Heat and smarting Dryness, sooping and cooling them to Admiration, and causing them to become kindly Moist and Easy, and the Hoof to grow naturally wide, so as not to pinch them, making those Horses, that before could scarce stand, or when they did, stood with all their four feet crumpling up together, able to stand and tread out freely and bold, without the least Pain, Uneasiness or Lameness: Those that are not a little hot in their Feet, it presently sets up and recovers; and those exceeding bad, it effectually Cures in a short Time, making them as perfectly firm and sound in their Feet as ever, as the Author has for many Years past experienced. Is to be had only at Mr. Bell's, a Bookseller, at the Cross-Keys and Bible in Cornhill near Stocks-Market, at 3*s.* 6*d.* a Glass, with Directions.

The most confirm'd Leprofy, and all Leprous and other stubborn Breakings out on the Skin, inveterate Rots, &c. whether of the whole Body, or in particular Parts only, infallibly cured: by an incomparable Electuary, which after all the usual Methods and Medicines, and even Salivations tried in vain, perfectly eradicates those inveterate Maladies, tho' of many Years standing, so as never to return again, accomplishing that in a few Days, which no other Means can possibly perform in many Months, and with the greatest Safety in the World, and without any Fatigue, Uneasiness or Confinement, as has been happily experienced by many Hundreds: Common Itches, and other slight Foulenesses of the Skin, it completely cures almost in an Infant, without Trouble: and for the very worst Scabbiest, and most grievous Leprofy, may be certainly depended upon as absolutely infallible, as the Patients themselves in 3 Days time will assuredly find: Is to be had only at Mr. Miles's, a Turner, at the Griffin, next Door to the Rose and Tun Inn in Fleetstreet, at 3*s.* a Pot, seal'd up with Directions.